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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Marc Tremblay; William Joy
Assignee: Sun Microsystems, Inc.
Title: Implicitly Derived Register Specifiers in a Processor
Serial No.: 09/204,479 Filing Date: December 3, 1998
Examiner: D. Y. Eng Group Art Unit: 2155
Docket No.: SP-3289 US Client Ref.: P3289

Newport Beach, California
February 20, 2002

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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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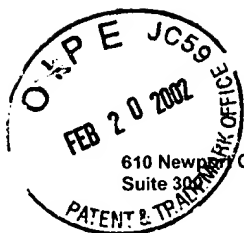
In response to the Office Action dated November 20, 2001, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

The following is a clean version of the entire set of pending claims. Claims 6, 7, 9, 17, and 19 have been amended. Attachment A provides marked up versions of the claims containing the newly introduced changes.

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Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (in duplicate); and
- (3) Response to Office Action (14 pages).

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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Total Claims	20	Minus	20	=	0	x \$18.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	2	Minus	3	=	0	x \$84.00	\$ 0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee of _____ for the first filing of one or more multiple dependent claims per application						\$
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<u>Total additional fee for this Amendment:</u>							\$ <u>0.00</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed document(s) after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, an extension of time is hereby requested.						
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